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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Genryou UMITSUKI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1636  
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Application No.: 09/801,734 ) Examiner: Konstantina T. Katcheves  
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Filed: March 9, 2001 )  
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For: A MULTIPLY TRANSFORMED )  
KOJI MOLD AND A METHOD OF )  
MANUFACTURING A FLAVOR )  
ENHANCER USING THE SAME )

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Applicants herein respond to the Office Action of March 21, 2003. Please amend  
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